

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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Michael K. MACKAY et al.)	Group Art Unit: 2131
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Application No. 09/653,517)	Examiner: Shin-Hon CHEN
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Filed: August 31, 2000)	Confirmation No.: 4624
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For: DATA PROTECTION SYSTEMS)	
AND METHODS)	

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action mailed September 6, 2007, the period for response having been extended to January 7, 2008 (due to January 6, 2008 being a Sunday) and by a request for extension of one-month. The fee payment is being filed concurrently herewith. Please amend the above-identified application as set forth below and consider the following remarks:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.